

**ORDER FOR ADJOURNMENT FROM TUESDAY, UNTIL 10 A.M. ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2, 1971**

Mr. BYRD of West Virginia. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business on Tuesday, June 1, it stand in adjournment until 10 a.m., Wednesday, June 2, 1971.

The President pro tempore. Is there objection? The Chair hears none, and it is so ordered.

**COMMUNICATIONS FROM EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS, ETC.**

The PRESIDENT pro tempore laid before the Senate the following letters, which were referred as indicated:

**REPORT ON STRATEGIC AND CRITICAL MATERIALS STOCKPILING PROGRAM**

A letter from the Director, Office of Emergency Preparedness, Executive Office of the President, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on the strategic and critical materials stockpiling program, for the six-month period ending December 31, 1970 (with an accompanying report); to the Committee on Armed Services.

**REPORT OF THE U.S. SOLDIERS' HOME**

A letter from the Secretary of the Army, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the U.S. Soldiers' Home, for fiscal year 1970 (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Armed Services.

**REPORT OF EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION**

A letter from the Chairman, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of that Commission, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (with an accompanying report); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**AN OVERVIEW OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S HEALTH CARE STRATEGY**

A letter from the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare submitting a document entitled "Towards a Comprehensive Health Policy for the 1970's," prepared by the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare as a comprehensive overview of the administration's health-care strategy (with accompanying report); to the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare.

**REPORT ON FINAL DETERMINATION RELATING TO CLAIM OF CERTAIN INDIANS**

A letter from the Chairman, Indian Claims Commission, reporting, pursuant to law, on its final determination with respect to Docket No. 281, The Creek Nation East of the Mississippi, plaintiff, v. The United States of America, defendant (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Appropriations.

**PETITIONS AND A MEMORIAL**

Petitions and a memorial were laid before the Senate and referred as indicated:

By the PRESIDENT pro tempore:

A memorial of the Legislature of the State of Florida; to the Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences:

**"HOUSE MEMORIAL No. 780**

"A memorial to the Congress of the United States to request that Kennedy Space Center be the site for construction of the space shuttle

"Whereas, the space shuttle, a reusable low cost rocket for ferrying men and materials back and forth between earth and space stations, is the single most essential piece of hardware for the United States space exploration program, and

"Whereas, Kennedy Space Center in Florida is the most modern and complete spaceport in the world, and

"Whereas, some \$600,000,000 worth of facilities needed for the space shuttle program are already available at Kennedy Space Center, and

"Whereas, a 10,000 foot runway for landing and returning the booster and orbit stage is in existence at Kennedy Space Center, and

"Whereas, almost \$1,000,000,000 has already been invested in the space program at Kennedy Space Center, and

"Whereas, a highly skilled team of 18,000 personnel, specializing in operations, maintenance and assembly, is already at Kennedy Space Center, and

"Whereas, the launch of space shuttles over water adds immeasurably to the safety of the system, and launches from Kennedy Space Center are made over water, and

"Whereas, Kennedy Space Center offers a unique aggregate of facilities, not available at any other possible sites, for development and operational flights of the space shuttle system at minimum cost to the United States taxpayers, and

"Whereas, the House Science and Astronautics Committee in its report on the fiscal 1971 budget stated that "maximum use should be made of existing facilities to support the space shuttle program" and that "The extensive launch and checkout capabilities at the Kennedy Space Center . . . should receive early and most careful consideration," and

"Whereas, the Honorable Reubin O'D. Askew, Governor of the State of Florida, has received the approval of governors of many of the Southern states in his efforts to locate the space shuttle at Kennedy Space Center in Florida, Now, therefore,

"Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

"That the Congress of the United States is hereby requested to provide that the National Aeronautics and Space Administration designate Kennedy Space Center as the operational base for the space shuttle.

"Be it further resolved that copies of this memorial be forwarded to the President of the United States, the Director of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, the President of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, each member of the Appropriations and Aeronautical and Space Sciences Committees of the United States Senate and the Appropriations and Science and Astronautics Committees of the United States House of Representatives, and each member of the Florida delegation to the United States Congress."

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California; to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry:

**"SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1**

"Relative to the use of surplus unsubsidized agricultural food products

"Whereas, The California Legislature recognizes the need for nutritionally adequate diets among low-income persons in the state, national and international areas of federal assistance programs; and

"Whereas, There is a surplus of certain unsubsidized crops in California and other states of the United States which has depressed farm income and caused economic hardship for those persons employed on all levels in the growing, harvesting and processing of these agricultural products, such as the heavy surplus in prunes available in California; and

"Whereas, These unsubsidized crops could serve the twofold purpose of helping our farm families and farm workers economically and in combating nutritional deficiencies if used by the federal government for foreign disaster relief, to combat hunger among low-income persons, for use in the

school lunch program and for use in the supplemental food program; and

"Whereas, The California Legislature recognizes that the effective effort needed to serve this twofold purpose requires immediate action by the federal government, together with cooperation by individual state and foreign agencies to facilitate and expedite the action taken by the Government of the United States; now, therefore, be it

"Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California respectfully requests the President and Congress of the United States to take whatever immediate action is necessary to allow the purchase and distribution of unsubsidized surplus farm products for the dual purpose of helping our farm economy and alleviating nutritional deficiencies at home and abroad; and be it further

"Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate transmit copies of this resolution to the President of the United States, to the Governor of California, to the Secretary of Agriculture, to the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, and to each Senator and Representative from California in the Congress of the United States."

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California; to the Committee on Appropriations:

**"SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 37**

"Relative to endowment for the arts

"Whereas, Congress is considering the appropriation for the National Endowment for the Arts; and

"Whereas, It is incumbent upon this nation to support the arts for the benefit of our society by providing the means for artists to best use their creative talents; and

"Whereas, A strong and productive community of artists provides inspiration and fulfillment to the society as a whole; now, therefore, be it

"Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California respectfully memorializes the President and the Congress of the United States to support full funding for the appropriation for the National Endowment for the Arts; and be it further

"Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate transmit copies of this resolution to the President and Vice President of the United States, to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and to each Senator and Representative from California in the Congress of the United States."

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of California; to the Committee on Commerce:

**"SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 10**

"Relative to the control of marine traffic

"Whereas, The number of oil spills in our ocean and inland waterways has increased at an alarming rate; and

"Whereas, Substantial damage to marine life, waterfowl and the scenic beauty of beaches and seashores has resulted therefrom; and

"Whereas, The recent collision of two oil tankers at the entrance to San Francisco Bay reaffirms the long-overdue need for a total system of marine traffic control in the ports and harbors of our state; and

"Whereas, There is a need for the enactment of federal laws which would permit the establishment of a uniform system of marine traffic control and other safety procedures under the jurisdiction and direction of the United States Coast Guard and authorize the Coast Guard to promulgate and enforce any regulations deemed necessary to insure the safe movement of ships and safe storage and handling of dangerous cargo, which regulations may include mandatory radar control and unqualified authority to limit or halt the movement of any and all vessels

where weather or other conditions so demand; and

"Whereas, Such a uniform set of regulations controlling marine traffic is one of the best and quickest ways to achieve the safe movement of vessels in close waters; now, therefore, be it

"Resolved by the Senate and the Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California respectfully memorializes the President and the Congress of the United States to enact legislation such as described in this resolution to protect our ports and harbors from the threat of future ship collisions and other accidents which might lead to further disastrous oil spills; and be it further

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A joint memorial of the Legislature of the State of Washington; to the Committee on Finance:

**"SENATE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 5**

"To the Honorable Richard M. Nixon, President of the United States, and to the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled:

"We, your Memorialists, the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Washington, in legislative session assembled, respectfully represent and petition as follows:

"Whereas, The several states of this nation are increasingly financially burdened by the amount of moneys necessary to finance welfare programs; and

"Whereas, The recent United States Supreme Court decision which prohibits the several states from imposing a residency requirement as a condition for an individual's receipt of welfare payments has further strained the financial resources of the several states by increasing the number of recipients eligible for welfare payments; and

"Whereas, With the judicial prohibition of the previously recited residency requirements, there is no effective restraint against the interstate migration of welfare recipients into the states in which welfare benefits are larger; and

"Whereas, The current state of the nation's economy, and particularly the economy of Washington state, has made this problem increasingly serious;

"Now, therefore, Your Memorialists respectfully pray that the Congress enact legislation by which the federal government would assume the entire obligation to fund those existing welfare programs to which the federal government currently contributes a portion of the necessary funds.

"Be it resolved, That copies of this memorial be immediately transmitted to the Honorable Richard M. Nixon, President of the United States, the President of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and each member of Congress from the State of Washington."

A petition from Elroy Lewis-126-532, Lorton, Va., requesting impeachment proceedings against a U.S. district judge; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A resolution of the City Council of the City of San Luis Obispo, Calif., endorsing the Federal revenue-sharing proposal; to the Committee on Finance.

**MEMORIAL PRESENTED**

Mr. CHILES. Mr. President, the State of Florida's continuing interest in seeing that the Kennedy Space Center be selected as the sight for construction of the space shuttle is typified by House Memorial No. 780, Regular Session 1971, which

I received the other day from the Florida Legislature. So that the Congress can have an indicator of how interested the State of Florida is in this worthwhile project, I ask unanimous consent that the memorial be printed in full, following my remarks.

The memorial, which was referred to the Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences, reads as follows:

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**REPORT OF A COMMITTEE**

By Mr. PASTORE, from the Committee on Commerce, without amendment:

S. 485. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to provide that certain aliens admitted to the United States for permanent residence shall be eligible to operate amateur radio stations in the United States and to hold licenses for their stations (Rept. No. 92-133).

**REPORT ENTITLED "THE FEDERAL JUDICIAL SYSTEM" (S. REPT. NO. 92-134)**

Mr. BURDICK, from the Committee on the Judiciary, pursuant to Senate Resolution 340, 91st Congress, second session, submitted a report entitled "The Federal Judicial System," which was ordered to be printed.

**REPORT ENTITLED "SEPARATION OF POWERS"—REPORT OF A COMMITTEE (S. REPT. NO. 92-135)**

Mr. ERVIN, Mr. President, on behalf of the Committee on the Judiciary, I submit the annual report of the Subcommittee on Separation of Powers pursuant to Senate Resolution 52, 91st Congress, first session.

The PRESIDING OFFICER (Mr. DOMINICK). The report will be received and printed.

**EXECUTIVE REPORT OF A COMMITTEE**

As in executive session, the following favorable report of a nomination was submitted:

By Mr. AIKEN, from the Committee on Foreign Relations:

W. Tapley Bennett, Jr., of Georgia, a Foreign Service officer of the class of career minister, to be Deputy Representative of the United States of America in the Security Council of the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador.

**BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED**

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first time and, by unanimous consent, the second time, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. BYRD of West Virginia:

S. 1937. A bill to provide that disabled individuals entitled to disability insurance benefits under section 223 of the Social Security Act, and individuals in the corresponding categories under the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937, shall be eligible for health insurance benefits under title XVIII of the Social Security Act without regard to their age. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. EAGLETON:

S. 1938. A bill to amend certain provisions of subtitle II of title 28, District of Columbia Code, relating to interest and usury. Referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. ALLOTT (for himself and Mr. DOMINICK):

S. 1939. A bill for the relief of the Southwest Metropolitan Water and Sanitation District, Colorado. Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DOLE:

S. 1940. A bill to amend part II of the Interstate Commerce Act in order to completely exempt certain vehicles used in agriculture from the provisions thereof. Referred to the Committee on Commerce.